

LAKE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



SEPTEMBER 2, 2021

RESOLUTION

PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 12TH-18TH DIRECT SUPPORT PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION WEEK

WHEREAS, Direct Support Professionals (DSP) are the primary providers of long-term support services for millions of individuals with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, the majority of DSPs are employed in either a home or community based setting and they assist individuals with some of their most intimate needs on a daily basis thereby building close, trusting relationships with them; and

WHEREAS, although their work differs with a variety of daily duties, their instrumental role in ensuring dedicated support and essential care can include anything from meal preparation and medication assistance to life skills training and personal care. Often, this assistance aids them in getting to school, work, or religious and recreational activities; and

WHEREAS, the Board is proud to acknowledge the dedication and compassion of these outstanding caregivers by illuminating their skills and accomplishments enhancing the quality of life and independence of individuals with disabilities.

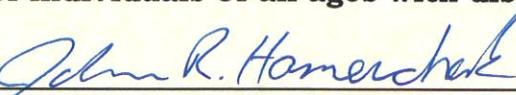
NOW THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners, in and for Lake County, hereby proclaims the week of September 12th-18th as

DIRECT SUPPORT PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION WEEK

in appreciation of the dedication and contributions Direct Support Professionals have made enhancing the lives of individuals of all ages with disabilities.



JOHN PLECNIK, COMMISSIONER



JOHN R. HAMERCHECK, PRESIDENT



RON YOUNG, COMMISSIONER